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Examiner: Craig Miller

PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

April 12, 2006

Honorable Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a petition under 37 CFR 1.136 to extend the time for filing a response to the office action dated 17 November 2005 in the above identified patent application. A two-month extension is requested. Enclosed is Credit Card Payment Form PTO-2038 for the amount of \$225.00 for the two-month extension of time fee for a small entity.

In response to the Office Action dated 17 November 2005, enclosed are:

- A. Response to the First Office Action;
- B. Petition for Extension of Time;
- C. Credit Card Payment Form for \$225.00 for the Extension of time; and
- D. Return Receipt Postcard.

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